

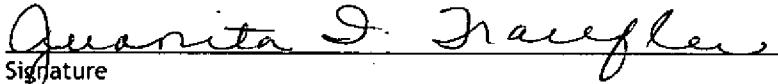
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RESPONSE with REQUEST for CONTINUED EXAMINATION and EXTENSION OF TIME TRANSMITTAL

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We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- Response with Request for Continued Examination and Extension of Time Transmittal
- Response
- Request for Continued Examination

- Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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- Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time.

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